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**UTILITY  
PATENT APPLICATION  
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Attorney Docket No.

TI-31203

First Inventor

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Title

SEMICONDUCTOR TEST SYSTEM AND METHOD

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**APPLICATION ELEMENTS**

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents

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Washington, DC 202311. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)  
(Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing)2. ☐ Applicant claims small entity status.  
See 37 CFR 1.27.3. ☒ Specification [ Total Pages **31** ]  
(preferred arrangement set forth below)  
- Descriptive title of the Invention  
- Cross Reference to Related Applications  
- Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D  
- Reference to sequence listing, a table,  
or a computer program listing appendix  
- Background of the Invention  
- Brief Summary of the Invention  
- Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)  
- Detailed Description  
- Claim(s)  
- Abstract of the Disclosure4. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [ Total Sheets **21** ]5. Oath or Declaration [ Total Pages **1** ]a. ☐ Newly Executed (original or copy)b. ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))  
(for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)i. ☐ **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)**  
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s)  
named in the prior application, see 37 CFR  
1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).6. ☐ Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.767. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or  
Computer Program (Appendix)  
8. ☐ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission  
(if applicable, all necessary)a. ☐ Computer Readable Form (CRF)

b. Specification Sequence Listing on:

i. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); orii. ☐ paperc. ☐ Statements verifying identity of above copies**ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS**9. ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & documents(s))10. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (when there is an assignee) ☐ Power of Attorney11. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)12. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 ☐ Copies of IDS Citations13. ☐ Preliminary Amendment14. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)  
(Should be specifically itemized)15. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)  
(if foreign priority is claimed)16. ☐ Request and Certification under 35 U.S.C. 122  
(b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35  
or its equivalent17. ☐ Other:

18. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76:

☐ Continuation☐ Non provisional☐

Application No. 60/215,247

Prior application information:

Examiner

Group / Art Unit:

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## Complete If Known

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| Application Number   | N/A      |
| Filing Date          | 06/29/01 |
| First Named Inventor | Whetsel  |
| Examiner Name        | N/A      |
| Group / Art Unit     | N/A      |
| Attorney Docket No.  | TI-31203 |

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## FEE CALCULATION

### 1. BASIC FILING FEE

| Large Fee Code | Entity Fee (\$) | Small Fee Code | Entity Fee (\$) | Fee Description        | Fee Paid   |
|----------------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------|------------------------|------------|
| 101            | 710             | 201            | 355             | Utility filing fee     | \$710      |
| 106            | 320             | 206            | 160             | Design filing fee      | \$         |
| 107            | 490             | 207            | 245             | Plant filing fee       | \$         |
| 108            | 710             | 208            | 355             | Reissue filing fee     | \$         |
| 114            | 150             | 214            | 75              | Provisional filing fee | \$         |
| SUBTOTAL (1)   |                 |                |                 |                        | (\$710.00) |

### 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

| Total Claims       | Extra Claims | Fee from below | Fee Paid |
|--------------------|--------------|----------------|----------|
| 11                 | -20** = 0    | 18             | 0        |
| Independent Claims | 11           | -3** = 8       | 80       |
| Multiple Dependent |              | 270            | 0        |

\*\* or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissue, see below

| Large Fee Code       | Entity Fee (\$) | Small Fee Code | Entity Fee (\$) | Fee Description   |
|----------------------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------|---|
| 103                  | 18              | 203            | 9               | Claims in excess of 20                                    |
| 102                  | 80              | 202            | 40              | Independent Claims in excess of 3                         |
| 104                  | 270             | 204            | 135             | Multiple dependent claims in excess of 3                  |
| 109                  | 80              | 209            | 40              | **Reissue independent claims over original patent         |
| 110                  | 18              | 210            | 9               | **Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent |
| SUBTOTAL (2) (\$640) |                 |                |                 |   |

## FEE CALCULATION (continued)

### 3. ADDITIONAL FEES

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|----------------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------|---|----------|
| 105            | 130             | 205            | 65              | Surcharge - late filing fee   |          |
| 127            | 50              | 227            | 25              | Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet.                   |          |
| 139            | 130             | 139            | 130             | Non-English specification   |          |
| 147            | 2,520           | 147            | 2,520           | For filing a request for reexamination                                    |          |
| 112            | 920*            | 112            | 920*            | Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action                    |          |
| 113            | 1,840*          | 113            | 1,840*          | Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action                       |          |
| 115            | 110             | 215            | 55              | Extension for reply within first month                                    |          |
| 116            | 400             | 216            | 200             | Extension of time within second month                                     |          |
| 117            | 950             | 217            | 475             | Extension of time within third month                                      |          |
| 118            | 1,510           | 218            | 755             | Extension of time within fourth month                                     |          |
| 128            | 2,060           | 228            | 1,030           | Extension of time within fifth month                                      |          |
| 119            | 310             | 219            | 155             | Notice of Appeal  |          |
| 120            | 310             | 220            | 155             | Filing a brief in support of an appeal                                    |          |
| 121            | 270             | 221            | 135             | Request for oral hearing  |          |
| 138            | 1,510           | 138            | 1,510           | Petition to institute a public use proceeding                             |          |
| 140            | 110             | 240            | 55              | Petition to revive - unavoidable  |          |
| 141            | 1,320           | 241            | 660             | Petition to revive - unintentional  |          |
| 142            | 1,320           | 242            | 660             | Utility issue fee (or reissue)  |          |
| 143            | 450             | 243            | 225             | Design issue fee  |          |
| 144            | 670             | 244            | 335             | Plant issue fee   |          |
| 122            | 130             | 122            | 130             | Petitions to the Commissioner   |          |
| 123            | 50              | 123            | 50              | Petitions related to provisional applications                             |          |
| 126            | 240             | 126            | 240             | Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt                                 |          |
| 581            | 40              | 581            | 40              | Recording each patent assignment per property (time number of properties) |          |
| 146            | 790             | 246            | 395             | Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))               |          |
| 149            | 790             | 249            | 395             | For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))            |          |

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